IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, ANDHRA PRADESH
AT HYDERABAD
(Special Original Jurisdiction)

THURSDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF JUNE
TWO THOUSAND AND FOUR

PRESENT

THE HON'BLE MR JUSTICE BILAL NAZKI

WRIT PETITION NO : 12702 of 1994

Between:

G. Koti Reddy S/o. Pulla Reddy
R/o. Kandibanda Village, Mella Cheruvu Mandal, Nalgonda Dist.

..... PETITIONER

AND

1 The District Collector Nalgonda District, Nalgonda.
2 The Joint Collector Nalgonda, Nalgonda District.
3 The Revenue Divisional Officer Miryalaguda, Nalgonda District.
4 The District Revenue Officer Nalgonda district, Nalgonda.
5 The Revenue Inspector Mellacheruvu Mandal,
Nalgonda district.
6 The Mandal Revenue Officer Mellacheruvu Mandal ,
Mellacheruvu, Nalgonda District.
7 The Village Administrative Officer Kandibanda Village,
Mellacheruvu Mandal, Nalgonda district.

.....RESPONDENTS

Petition under Article 226 of the constitution of India praying that in the circumstances stated in the Affidavit filed herein the High Court will be pleased to issue a Writ, order or direction more particularly one in the nature of Writ of Certiorari calling for the records pertaining to the Petitioner's land Tax arrears of Ac.23-00 in Sy.Nos. 122, 123, 126,127,370 and 55 situated at Kandibanda Village, Mellacheruvu Mandal, Nalgonda District, on the file of the 6th respondent herein vide his Memo No.B/1337/93 dated 5-3-1994 and consequently direct the Respondents herein to release the portable T.V. Stabilizer and 150 bags of super fine rice, seized from the petitioner, to the Petitioner herein by declaring the action of the Respondents in seizing the above without giving notice and without furnishing accounts as illegal, unjust, arbitrary and contrary to the principles of natural justice and pass

Counsel for the Petitioner:MR.Y.ASHOK RAJ

Counsel for the Respondents: GP FOR REVENUE

The Court made the following O R D E R:

The only controversy in this case is regarding the payment of land revenue. The petitioner contends he has paid all land revenue due through Village Administrative Officer, and has obtained receipts from him. Whereas, the respondents ordered seizure of Television with stabilizer and 150 bags of super fine rice, on the ground that revenue had not been paid.

An interim order has been passed by this Court, but the property seized from the petitioner has not so far been returned, but it is submitted that they have sold the rice and some amount was sent to the petitioner, which he has not accepted so far.

In these circumstances, I feel that the matter needs an enquiry by Mandal Revenue Officer, Mellacheruvu Mandal, Mellacheruvu, Nalgonda District, and after hearing the petitioner and giving him an opportunity of producing the documentary evidence he has, the Mandal Revenue Officer may pass final orders.

The writ petition is accordingly disposed of. No order as to costs.

ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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